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In re Application of Gregory John McAvoy and Kia Silverbrook		
Application Number 09/693,079	Filed October 20, 2000	
For Thermoelastic Actuator Design		
Group Art Unit 1775	Examiner Archene A Turner	

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

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